

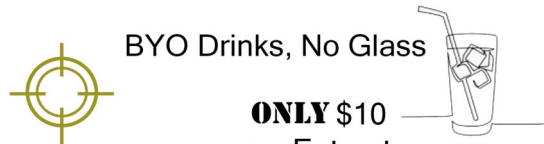
REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 12PM ON THURSDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2022



12TH ANNUAL PAPAROA POSSUM PURGE

GALA DAY and Prizegiving
from **11 AM** Sunday **11 SEPTEMBER**

BBQ, Bouncy Castle, Fire Engine
Games, Prizes, Raffles & Stalls



BYO Drinks, No Glass

**SHOOT OR
TRAP**

ONLY \$10
per Entrant,
4 per Team, School
Age Children Free

Pick-up an **ENTRY FORM:**
Paparoa School
The General Store
The Thirsty Tui



Amazing prizes to be won!!!

Thank you to our sponsors so far!



Hunting and Trapping runs from Thursday 8 September until 11am Sunday 11 September. Gala Day & prizegiving on Sunday 11 September

Registration \$10 per adult, 1 to 4 per team, school age children free, 1-4 per team

Register **EARLY** by Thursday 1 September & all adults go into the draw to win **\$500 CASH** generously donated by Aaron Contracting & Pest Free Peninsula Kaipara

Registrations close Thursday 8th September—NO LATE REGISTRATIONS

Registration forms available at Paparoa School, The Thirsty Tui, The Paparoa Store and online at the website paparoa.school.nz/possumpurge

Prize Categories

1. Most possums unplucked—clean dry possums only
2. Hand plucked clean dry fur
3. The Les Tilby Trophy—possums shot or trapped by child (assisted by responsible adult). The possum closest to the average weight of all possums in this category wins
4. Best Team Name

Possums accepted for plucking at Paparoa Showgrounds on:

Friday 9th 9-11am
Saturday 10th 9-11am
Sunday 11th 9-11am

To be eligible for prizes all possums and fur must

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Pest Free Peninsula
Kaipara



Cam's Autos Ruawai
021 255 4077



PAPAROA SCHOOL POSSUM PURGE 2022—ENTRY FORM

To enter:

- Read and keep the Competition Rules
- Complete this form. Post or deliver to Paparoa School, PO BOX 15, Paparoa, 0543
- Or email a scanned copy to paparoapossumpurge@gmail.com
- Pay registration fee. Online transfer to 12-3115-0163049-02
Reference = team name Code = 0223

Entry fee is \$10 per adult per team

School age children free—up to 4 per team

Pre-registration entries close Thursday 1 September. All pre-registered adults go in the draw to win a \$500 cash prize.

Registration available until hunting begins at midday 8th September—**no late registrations**

I have read, understood & agree our team will abide by the Competition Rules

All possums, including joeys, will be quickly and humanely killed

Our team will obey all Firearms Laws and obtain landowner’s permission to hunt on any land

No joeys will be brought to prizegiving

We are aware that we enter the competition at our own risk

We will be thinking and acting safely at all times

We will not bring firearms or dogs to the prizegiving

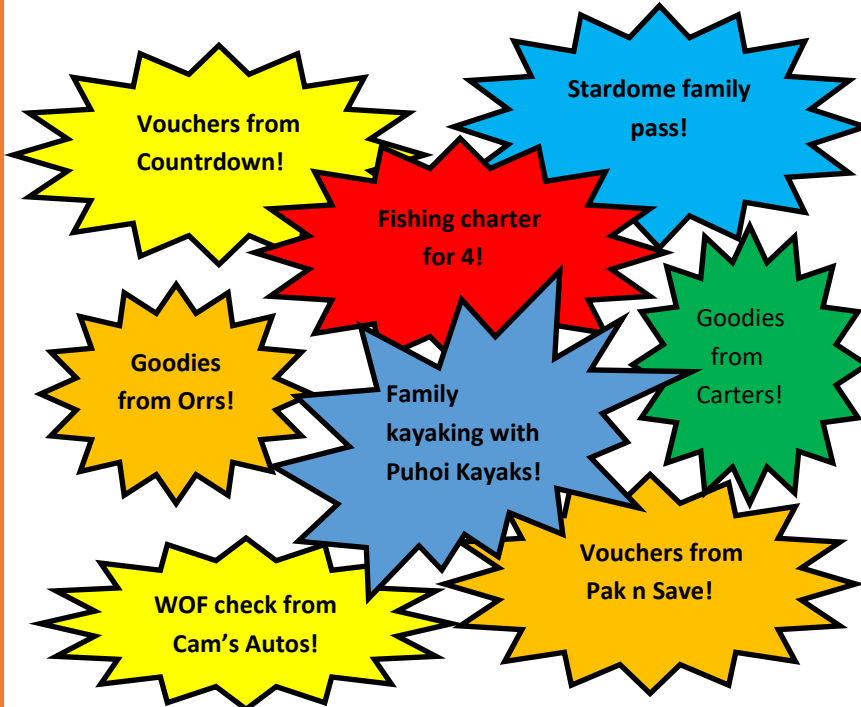
Signed (Team Leader)..... Date

			Day Evening					
Team name	Team Leader	Address	Contact No	Mobile No	Email	Other adult team members 1. 2. 3.	Children team members 1. 2. 3. 4..	NAMES and AGES

FANTASTIC PRIZES TO BE WON!!!



**Enter by Thursday 1
September to go into
the draw to win
\$500 CASH**



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We couldn't do this without you:

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Cam's Autos Ruawai

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Topuni Timber

Northland Regional Council

Lions Club Ruawai

Atlas Quarries

Mangonui Fish Shop



PLEASE KEEP THIS COPY OF THE COMPETITION RULES

PAPAROA POSSUM PURGE 2022



1. **All possums, including joeys must be quickly and humanely killed. Possums are a pest, however they deserve to be dispatched efficiently**
2. All competitors must enter using the official registration form
3. Pre-registration closes Thursday 8 September at midday
4. Entry fee \$10 per adult. School age children free, up to 4 per team
5. Firearms laws and regulations must be obeyed
6. Landowner's permission must be obtained
7. Duration of the hunt will be from midday Thursday 8 September until 11am Sunday 11 September 2022. Possums shot prior to this may be donated to the school but will not be included in the final tally. We reserve the right to refuse any unpluckable possum.
8. Pre-plucked fur is accepted and goes in the competition for most hand plucked fur
9. Possums may be hand plucked—NO tail fur
10. Possums and possum fur should be **clean and dry**. It would be appreciated if hunters could tie possums together with rope for ease of drying at the showgrounds.
11. Possums may be trapped or shot
12. No joeys to be brought to prizegiving
13. All possums and fur must be at Paparoa Showgrounds or Paparoa School for counting by 11am on Sunday 11 September
14. All possums and fur entered in the competition become the property of Paparoa School so that the fur may be sold as a fundraiser
15. Neither Paparoa School, nor the organisers, can be held responsible for the actions of anyone involved, especially with regard to personal safety. Every care should be taken by the participants
16. Breaching of rules may result in disqualification
17. In the event of any changes the team leaders will be notified
18. Very wet weather may result in postponement
19. Individual team members must be present to claim prizes
20. NO dogs, firearms or live ammunition to be brought to Gala Day
21. All complaints to be in writing
22. The judges decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into

**HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY
POSSUM HUNT**